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SUBJ: LOS-GREECE CONSIDERING EXTENDING TERRITORIAL SEA TO 12 MILES

1. SEMI-OFFICIAL ATHENS NEWS AGENCY (ANA) REPORTED JUNE 10 THAT
GOG IS CONSIDERING EXTENDING GREECE'S TERRITORIAL SEA TO TWELVE MILES

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ALL NEWSPAPERS AND RADIO/TV NEWSCASTS CARRIED REPORT.

2. TEXT OF ANA ARTICLE: "IT WAS LEARNED ON SATURDAY THAT THE
GOVERNMENT IS CONSIDERING EXTENDING GREECE'S TERRITORIAL
WATERS TO 12 MILES. THE QUESTION AROSE FROM THE FACT THAT OF
THE 15 MEDITERRANEAN STATES, 11 HAVE ALREADY EXTENDED THEIR
TERRITORIAL WATERS TO 12 MILES. GREECE WOULD NOT HAVE OBJECTED TO
TERRITORIAL WATERS REMAINING AT THE PRESENT SIX-MILE LIMIT.
HOEVER, THE EXTENSION TO 12 MILES BY MOST MEDITERRANEAN COUNTRIES
CREATES CERTAIN PROBLEMS WHICH OBLIGE GREECE TO CONSIDER SUCH
AN EXTENSION OF HER OWN TERRITORIAL WATERS ALSO.

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